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SUBJECT: BISHOP WINTER'S AMERICAN SECRETARY RECEIVES  
DEPORTATION ORDER

1. DAVID DE BEER, WHO WAS EXPELLED FROM NAMIBIA WITH BISHOP COLIN WINTER IN MARCH 1972 AND IS NOW RESTRICTED TO JOHANNESBURG, TELEPHONED EMBOFF AUGUST 14 TO REPORT THAT AMCIT ANN SPARKLIN LOWELL, BISHOP WINTER'S AMERICAN SECRETARY, HAD BEEN SERVED WITH ORDER TO LEAVE SOUTH AFRICA AUGUST 14.

2. ACCORDING TO DE BEER, LOWELL HAD BEEN TRAVELLING IN SOUTH AFRICA SINCE AUGUST 3 OR 4 SEEING FRIENDS OF THE BISHOP AND INTENDED SPEND MONTH IN NAMIBIA BEFORE RETURNING HOME. SHE WAS SERVED WITH ORDER AT DE BEER'S HOME AT 1900 HOURS AUGUST 13. ORDER GAVE LOWELL UNTIL MIDNIGHT AUGUST 14 TO LEAVE SOUTH AFRICA.

3. AFTER RECEIVING ORDER, LOWELL ARRANGED TO FLY TO WINDHOEK

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EARLY MORNING AUGUST 14 IN HOPES OF MEETING BRIEFLY AT AIRPORT WITH

BISHOP'S SUPPORTERS. SHE PLANNED RETURN TO JOHANNESBURG SAME DAY AND CATCH FLIGHT OUT OF COUNTRY. HER FRIENDS IN JOHANNESBURG SUBSEQUENTLY INFORMED EMBASSY SHE DID NOT MAKE CONTACT WITH GROUP IN WINDHOEK NOR DID SHE RETURN TO JOHANNESBURG.

4. ACCORDING TO DE BEER, LOWELL INDICATED SHE DID NOT RPT NOT DESIRE USG ASSISTANCE. NEVERTHELESS, ECONOMIC COUNSELOR INDICATED UNHAPPINESS THIS TREATMENT AMCIT DURING PREVIOUSLY ARRANGED CALL ON DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS UNDERSECRETARY DAVID DU BUISSON MORNING AUGUST 14. ADDED THAT THIS LIKELY GENERATE CONSIDERABLE PRESS INTEREST AND CRITICISM. DU BUISSON STATED ORDER TO DEPART WAS DECISION BY DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR AND IRREVOCABLE. HE AFFIRMED THAT NO REASONS COULD BE RELEASED BUT INTERIOR CONSIDERED IT HAD AMPLE GROUNDS. EMBASSY AGAIN CONTACTED DU BUISSON FOLLOWING REPORT PARA 3 ABOVE. AFTER CHECKING, DU BUISSON REPORTED THAT LOWELL WAS DETAINED IN TRANSIT LOUNGE AT WINDHOEK PENDING DEPARTURE ON SA 254 LEAVING WINDHOEK AT 1950 HOURS LOCAL FOR EUROPE. SMITH

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